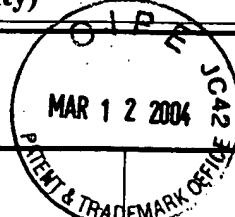


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**LIP006**

In Re Application Of: **STANGIER et al**



Serial No.  
**10/088,239**

Filing Date  
**March 18, 2003**

Examiner  
**Julie Knecht Smith**

Group Art Unit  
**3682**

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**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 16, 2003 above-identified application.

*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months

from: October 16, 2003      until: November 17, 2003

*Date*

*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$110** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1212**

*Signature*

Dated: **November 17, 2003**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited **November 17, 2003** with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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**Dana Robertson**

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